

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary

Application No.

10/086,915

Applicant(s)

KNAUERHASE ET AL.

Examiner

Stephan F. Willett

Art Unit

2142

All Participants:

(1) Stephan F. Willett.

(2) Aslam Jaffrey.

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 28 December 2006

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: *Attached.*

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

All

Claims discussed:

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Prior art documents discussed:

None

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: I called Mr. Jaffrey and explained the claims did not specify what element met the threshold condition, and that if a further limitation was made to indicate what element was required to meet the threshold condition, and this was supported by the specification, the claims might be allowable based on my search.